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### DRAMATIC SOCIAL CLUB HOLD FIRST MEETING

About fifty young people gathered in the Community Hall Monday night, making an increase of fourteen new members on the enrolment list.

The majority of the members were there promptly at eight, although a few had to pay an extra five cents for arriving late. The business part of the meeting was opened by singing "Oh Canada". Two new groups were formed to take their part in the social and dramatic activities. Miss Edna Middleton was nominated as a press reporter. By the next meeting, October 17th, all members are requested to have their fee of 25 cents each paid.

The play, taken from Shakespeare's "Midsummer Night's Dream", was put on by the executive—Sidney Lindstedt, George Hargreaves, Helen Holm, Maxine Ditto and Vorese Wellman, created much laughter and applause from the audience. Following this, contests and dancing were enjoyed by all. The meeting ended at 10:30 after a dainty lunch had been served by the social committee nominated for that meeting.

Anyone wishing to join the club is cordially invited to attend. The next meeting will be held on October 17th, at eight o'clock, in the Community Hall.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere appreciation for the care given me by Doctors Freeze and McKenzie and the Nurses of Carmargay Hospital, and to all others who were so kind to me during my recent illness.

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## LOCALS

Visiting from Ponoka, Don Stephen was a week end guest at the home of his parents.

Mr. Burleigh, who has been assisting at McCullough Bros. during their sale, returned to Calgary on Sunday.

Max Caldwell left on the bus Sunday, for Calgary, having secured a position with an orchestra.

Leonard Voisey and Gordon Berger left this week for Calgary, where they will attend Technical School.

Entertaining for Mrs. James Louise of Edmonton, who is her guest, Mrs. Peter Dawson was a tea hostess on Tuesday.

The engagement of Miss Ida Louise James of Lethbridge, to Lawrence Virgil Stout of Champion, has been announced.

After spending the summer in Kimberley, B. C., visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Frame, and her brother Paul, Miss Ethel Diemert returned home this week.

On the back page of this issue of the Chronicle, appears the first of a series of advertisements of the Calgary Daily Herald. Watch for them in this paper.

Mrs. Mary Woodhull and Arthur Woodhull left Tuesday for Cardston, where they will visit for a short time before leaving for the States to spend the winter.

While leaving during Wednesday afternoon, Walter Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor, met with a painful accident breaking his left arm between the elbow and wrist.

Coming next week—Buck Jones, the favorite of young and old, in Law for Tombs One of his finest pictures, filled with action and plenty of thrills Community Hall, Wednesday, Oct. 12th, at 8:30.

K. R. McLean, Optometrist and Optician, 200 and 210 Main Bldg., Calgary will be in Carmargay at the Drug Store, Tuesday morning, Oct. 18th, and in Champion at the Drug Store Tuesday afternoon.

Patrons of the picture show were pleased with the improvement in sound this week. The management assures us that every effort is being made to overcome any defects in order to produce perfect sound.

Mrs. James Dawson of Edmonton, provincial grand mistress of the L. O. B. A., who has been visiting lodges of that organization in the southern part of the province, is the guest of her brother-in-law, Rev. Peter Dawson, and Mrs. Dawson.

The private railway coach, occupied by eight sportsmen from the United States on their annual hunting trip in Alberta, who have been here since the season opened Saturday, was attached to last night's passenger train and moved farther north to a new location.

Local baseball enthusiasts are enjoying the radio broadcasts of the World Series games now in progress. McIntyre & Company have again arranged a player board in their window showing the plays as they are made, and with a loud speaker installed, it gives a splendid portrayal of the game.

## ANNUAL SCHOOL

### TRACK AND FIELD MEET

The ninth annual Track and Field Meet sponsored by the Champion Consolidated School Board was held on Saturday afternoon, October 6th. The weather was ideal and a good crowd turned out to witness the events. Six rural schools sent in entries.

We wish to welcome two schools, Harper and Tumbarow, which entered the meet for the first time.

Grades VI, VII, VIII Champion pt.	75
Grades X, XI	67
Grades III, IV, V	48
Grades I, II	48
Harmony School	29
Tumbarow	25
Long Coulee School	17
Grade IX Champion	15
Harper School	7
Blunderson School	7
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Walter Anderson is the winner of the individual cup for boys and Mary Moore and Irene Siler tied for the girls' individual cup. As in the past, the Champion Women's Institute is again donating two individual cups. We should be very grateful if someone would volunteer to donate the third cup required on account of the tie for the girls' cup.

The junior prizes for the greatest number of points in Classes A, B and C were won by Jack Goodman, Champion, and Kathleen O'Leary, Harmony. These prizes are being awarded this year by two of the Champion teachers.

Special award ribbons are given to those winning the greatest number of points in each class. The following are the winners of these ribbons.

Class A Boys—Edgar Faries, Champion,	9 points
Class A Girls—Arletha Hoffman, Tumbarow,	9 points
Class B Boys—Jack Goodman, Champion,	12 points
Class B Girls—Kathleen O'Leary, Harmony,	12 points
Class C Boys—Roy Shaw, Harper,	9 points
Class C Girls—Rene Doyle, Champion,	9 points
Class D Boys—Ronald Goodman, Champion,	12 points
Class D Girls—Shirley Matlock, Long Coulee,	10 points
Class E Boys—Fred Fleming, Champion,	13 points
Class E Girls—Mary Moore, Champion,	11 points
Class F Boys—Walter Anderson, Champion,	19 points
Class F Girls—Irene Siler, Champion,	11 points

A new and novel feature of the Track Meet was the work of the High School "Pop Squad" who led the school in effective songs and yells.

The staff of the Champion School wish to thank all those who helped to make the day a success. They are especially grateful for the continued support of the Women's Institute who supply the individual cup annually.

## E. P. RANCH DISPOSE

### OF SHORTHORN HERD

Over one hundred head of purebred Shorthorn cattle were sold last week at the auction sale at the ranch. Over 500 cattlemen attended the sale and purchased cows, calves and bulls valued over \$11,000 dollars.

E. J. Whitlaw of Toronto, Gilbert Elken and Harold H. Hafstrand, North Dakota ranchers were heavy buyers. Elken and Hafstrand of Mayville, North Dakota, paid top price of \$410 for "Baption Orator", senior herd sire, a prize winner at the Toronto Royal and Birmingham, England.

## WEDDINGS

### HOLLISTER—McDOUGALL

A quiet but interesting wedding was solemnized the home at Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McDougall, Champion, on Saturday afternoon October 6th, at two-thirty o'clock, when their youngest daughter, Elsey Janet, became the bride of Mr. Calvin Hollister of Valda, youngest son of Mr. E. M. Hollister of Calgary.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Roscoe Hollister, Calgary, brother of the groom.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was smartly attired in a gray tailor made suit with white accessories.

She carried a bouquet of red Taisman roses.

Miss Hazel McDougall, sister of the bride attended her. She wore a french blue tailored suit and carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations.

Mr. Stephen Cowgill of Champion attended the groom. Only immediate friends and relatives of the bride and groom were present.

Mr. and Mr. Hollister left on a motor trip to the States.

## HANDICRAFT EXHIBIT SPONSORED BY W. I.

The Champion Women's Institute is holding a Handicraft Exhibit and Tea in the basement of the Community Hall on Saturday, October 15th, at 3 p.m. Many women in our vicinity are noted for their lovely handwork and we hope that they will send samples of their exquisite specimens to compete for small money prizes. The classes will include quilts, rugs, knitted sweaters, fine crochet, embroidery, and individual collections of all kinds of handicraft. All articles must have been completed within the past year.

First prize offered in each class will be \$1.00, second prize 50 cents.

Mrs. Frank Little or Mrs. G. Voisey will be pleased to receive all entries.

A delicious tea will be served during the afternoon.

October ushered in a change of weather when, after the perfect harvest weather of the past month, rain commenced Sunday and has fallen intermittently since, until this morning when it appears to have cleared up and the sun is shining. Precipitation registered 1.08 inches.

The moisture was welcomed by the farmers, following an exceptionally dry summer and fall, and housewives fortunate in having cisterns are delighted to have them filled. Roads are in poor condition, the highway having the odd bad spot and sidewalks almost impassable.

Harvest and threshing were practically completed, only the odd job being left to finish up. With the fine fall days and no rain at night, the late crop is getting in without damage and garden produce was matured.

The coal miners are back on the job, ready for their busy season.

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Lettuce,	
Ripe Tomatoes	

## "CAMPBELL'S"

## LOCALS

George Bailey reports the loss of a number of sheep by coyotes which are becoming numerous in the district. He is securing the assistance of Art Ulrich and his bounds in an effort to rid the district of as many of these marauders as possible.

The October meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Peter Dawson on Tuesday, October 11th, at 3 p.m. Mrs. W. A. McIntyre will be the speaker for the afternoon, her topic being "Beauty Through the Ages." Refreshment Conserver, Mrs. R. I. Baker.

On Wednesday last week, the home of Mrs. Wm. Ulrich was a profusion of autumn flowers, when she entertained forty guests at a novel shower in honor of Miss Elsie McDougall, whose marriage took place on Saturday. The guest of honor was the recipient of numerous lovely gifts from the assembled guests, the presentation being in the form of a sack race, which caused much merriment.

Mrs. F. Watts entertained the Ladies' Aid at her home last Thursday afternoon, when a very interesting meeting was held. Arrangements were made for the holding of a series of teas, with two members in charge of each tea held. Mrs. Dawson and Mrs. Voisey consented to be hostesses for the first of these teas. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Guy Dow and Mrs. Knudsen, assisted by the hostess.

## \$25 EVERY TEN SECONDS

According to figures submitted by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics to the special Senate Committee on Railways, the Government railways required assistance from the taxpayer to an average amount of \$75,000,000 per year in the two years ending with December 31, 1936. The rate of loss was \$150 per minute or about \$25 in the ten seconds required to read this paragraph.



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CHAPTER V.—Continued

Mrs. Joyce laid aside her green cigarette holder and with that queer, coldly acquiescent mood which seemed a part of her, joined the rest of the group on the tiny verandah. The moon had risen shimmering the great expanse of Sapphire lake, its light now like an irregular patch of silver between rugged mounds of black velvet.

"It's an inlet, over there to the right," Hammond said. "Land on that and you'll be safe."

"Safe?" cried in Kay, with a little laugh. "From whom?"

"The Moonies. This is a booby trap, isn't it?"

Kay faced the aviator. "Timmy! You haven't gone in for bootlegging already?"

The tone was jesting, but Timmy was tired.

"It isn't against the law to bring liquor from American territory to American territory. I'm not sneaking anything into Canada."

"Who's this fellow who hired you?" Hammond asked. Curiously peered hard at him; he was sure it was the man who had frightened Jeanne's father. Timmy rubbed his round face.

"Darned if I know. He said his name was Lew Snade. I think he works for Andrew the World Agent."

Kay laughed, somewhat harshly. "So that's what becomes of our darling Timmy. He comes into the world, unloved and unloved, immediately becomes a bootlegger."

It was badly timed. Timmy's moon's nerves were raw, from a long session at the stick.

"Well, at least I'm honest about it. I'm not being a damned pretender."

"Why, Timmy," asked Kay, with an air of amazement. "Who's pretending?"

"We've all been pretending," said Timmy Moon. Jack caught the scent of liquor on his breath; and evidently Lew Snade, wherever he was, had been generous. "And I'm sick of it. We're up here and he's honest as we're here."

"Timmy!" in the reflected light of the doorway, Hammond saw that the girl's face had gone white; there was rage in her eyes. The aviator did not notice.

"Don't Timmy!" he exclaimed. "We're all broke and we might as well say we're broke and be done with it!"

"Perhaps you'd better go to bed," said Mrs. Joyce icily.

"I think that's a good idea," Hammond took him by the arm. "Time for us to go, Timmy."

"Oh, all right," the round little pilot was grinning again. "I didn't mean to start any fireworks."

Hammond pulled him off the verandah and with an effort at the joint good-night to the two women, led him down the trail.

"Sorry I can't put you up in my cabin," he apologized, when they were well along toward town. "But we've only got two beds there."

"Oh, I couldn't go, anyway. I've got to get out too early," Timmy rubbed his hands over his face. "Now, how a couple of shute can hit a fellow when he's tired."

"You rather spoke out of turn up there at the house," the miner suggested.

Timmy raised his head, pulling hard for air.

"Yeah, I guess I did," he confessed.

—it was just like seeing a ghost. Did you hear me? I almost shrieked. The poor fellow must have thought I'd gone crazy. I did feel like an idiot."

Hammond agreed that it was indeed a silly feeling. Soon he went onward, again to take the trail up to the cottage. But he carried with him an uneasy presentiment that Jeanne's father had not told the truth.

Kay was waiting for him, as well groomed as if she had come from a society parlor. Hammond watched the aim play on her hatless head, and with her mother, they went down the trail. Then at last, on the little Leen creek, the man pointed out the claim which he had saved for her, a stretch of gravel extending along the stream near where upward steeper and earth told of the workings held by McKenzie Joe and himself.

"I got them as near mine as I could," he announced.

"And this is a claim?" asked Kay. "Why, it's just the bank of the stream!"

"Look," Hammond answered. All along the creek were evidences of labor. Here and there, disregarding the high water, men labored at the shoveling of earth into low, wooden sluice boxes which, picking out the water from a flume running from a higher point in the stream, carried it down a slow declivity.

"You just wash it through and it comes good?" Kay said curiously. "That's cute?"

"I get the gold out of the laborer's job to me," he thought reflected.

A shout answered her, from upstream, where, picked between Olson and two partners were working. Instantly labor stopped elsewhere. Necks craned. Heads appeared above the higher portions of earth, where the stream temporarily ran between cut banks. Then men began to congregate about the sluice boxes.

"Let's go up," Hammond exclaimed. "Olson's found something in the clean-up."

"The clean-up?" Kay asked, hurrying beside him. Mrs. Joyce followed somewhat in their wake, glancing anxiously about her, where she seldom smiled, who seldom gave interest, yet who seemed always to be weighing everything with care.

"Yes, the clean-up. You see, those long wooden chutes are called sluice boxes. They've got cleats across the bottom, called riffles. The dirt is shoveled in at the top and is carried away by the water. The dirt and light gravel flow on out. Anything heavier settles behind those riffles."

"Oh, I see. Then you stop shoveling and pick up the gold?"

"Not that easy. It takes a long time for those riffles to fill up. It takes a long time to get rid of everything but the nuggets."

"Oh, I'd love to see a nugget, again. Like those you gave me in Seattle."

"Yes—here's one." He pointed to a discarded gold pan on the creek's bank, flat bottomed and with sharply sloping sides. "They put the scrapings in there and drip water, and switching it around. It takes a long time to get rid of everything but the nuggets."

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## Noted Naturalist

Jack Miner Guards The Future Of Hunting

(By Lester Cernery)

Little did Kingsville folks realize the development that was to come when Jack Miner established his bird sanctuary just 32 years ago. Today he is one of the best known citizens in the Dominion of Canada and visitors to the sanctuary number thousands annually.

The white-haired naturalist with that good-looking face, as well known in Vancouver as he is in Halifax, and as well known as himself are the many sanctuaries and camps of wild life conservators who have arisen as a direct result of his efforts. Not many more individuals in progress have been established, but many government sanctuaries, too.

Prevention, not cure of the ill of man's relationship to the wild, is the naturalist's aim, and he has secured whole-hearted co-operation from all members of the bureau who have taken thought to his activities. More and more are they beginning to realize that men like Jack Miner are guarding the future of North American hunting.

The sanctuary is a sure bulwark against the ravages of extermination which all too frequently are noted in the modern hunter, with his up-to-date equipment and keen urge to kill.

Government co-operation, without preservation of wild game revenues from sales of shooting licenses would soon dwindle. Full support from the authorities has been clearly being forthcoming.

The same of the bureau with such clear-cut views on conservation is a world figure now, yet only this week he followed a tractor and disintegrator around before his home for flower planting. Few passing motorists recognized the sturdy figure in its broad-brimmed straw hat and workmanlike overalls as the noted naturalist.

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## Nothing Wrong With It

"Purge" Still Is Considered A Perfectly Good Word

A woman in New York wrote to her favorite newspaper to say that she doesn't like the word "purge."

She wonders why so many political writers in this country have "avidly seized upon it" and show a liking for "verbal expressions of a nation whose ideas and institutions are so at variance with ours."

Apparently she thinks that "purge" comes out of Germany or the Soviet Union or China, where the thing it stands for is known, but the word itself is not.

The ancient Roman used the verb "purgar" or "to make pure."

The French took it up and passed it on to the English.

Shakespeare and the King James Bible refer to "purges" and "purging."

The first use of the word in its present political sense appears to have been in connection with "Pride's Purge."

Gen. Thomas Paine was deputed by Cromwell in 1648 to "purge" the British House of Commons by ejecting from it all members who refused to vote as Cromwell wished them to.

With that distinguished pedigree behind it, why should anyone in this country object to the adoption of this very apt and pungent word into the American political vocabulary?—Detroit Free Press.

## A Changing Shoe Line

Launching Of Big Ships Reeks Banks Of Clyde Moving

If any one thinks for a moment that the shoe line is changing, the ships which are coming out, they just haven't been about where the micrograph snobs have the nearest.

The tales we like, particularly the one of the new Queen Elizabeth, states Robert Wylie, in the New York Times.

Built on the Clyde, a narrow stream, if ever, and launched into water which is a full 200 feet lower than the ship itself, the John Brown ships are forced to blast out the additional feet from the opposite bank to allow her stern to rise and the ship herself to be turned around. This would be routine.

The result is there is a fine time on the opposite banks, with blast and snarl and the natives never quite knowing where the ship line is to be the next morning.

At the moment, we understand, they are holding their collective breath and wondering when, if ever, they will be allowed to pursue their sedentary, peaceful ways and perhaps catch a fish or two before lunch and is up and at them again.

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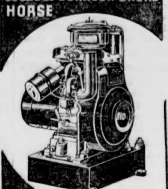
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## GOOD ROADS AND MORE BUSINESS

In this day and age when the motor car means so much to the travelling public, good roads mean a great deal in pulling traffic along the routes that are enjoying the better class of roads.

With the new road completed from Glacier National Park into our Waterton Lakes Park, an increase of 40% has been recorded compared with last year. What a nice increase in cash business, due almost entirely to a super highway.

It is human nature to ferret out the best roads and to follow the path that offers the pleasure seeking tourist a trip that is as nearly perfect as possible. So, we find the big increase in business is found along the path of the better highways. Our governments must continue to build highways that are on a par with any, so that the ever increasing tourist trade can be offered something that will mean a steady increase in this splendid cash business.

## LIBERALS STAY OUT

HON. DR. MANION, the new Conservative leader, has decided to seek a seat in the Commons at the by-election in London. He will not be opposed by the Liberals, on the suggestion of Mr. Mackenzie King, but the C. C. F. will nominate a candidate and a contest is thus assured.

In advising his followers in the Ontario constituency not to oppose the election of Dr. Manion, Mr. King has observed the best tradition. There are no former held by the Conservatives and if the Liberals should enter a three cornered contest, it is quite possible that Dr. Manion might be defeated. It was therefore a gracious gesture on the part of the prime minister that he should take the attitude he has.

With only a C. C. F. candidate to oppose him, and with the Liberals and Conservatives lining up together, Dr. Manion's victory seems assured.

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## CARMANGAY

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Rowley have moved into their residence which has just been completed. Mrs. Nora Clark and daughter Vera, have gone to Calgary to reside.

Ed. Griffin and D. H. Russell attended the sale at the E. P. Ranch last Saturday.

Harvest Festival will be held in the Anglican Church on Sunday, October 16th, at 3 p. m.

Mrs. Fred Glendening is visiting in her son and daughter in Vernon, B. C.

Visiting in Spokane, Motis Stafford will be the guest of his mother for a few weeks.

The regular meeting of the Women's Hospital Auxiliary will be held on Saturday evening at 8 p. m. in the town office.

Bruce Thompson of Red Deer was a recent visitor in the district. Looking after farming interests.

This week's Picture Show—"Tundra" an epic of the top of the world. Don't miss this exceptionally fine show. Friday, Oct. 7th, at 8 p. m.

Dr. H. C. Dimock, who has been in practice in this district for the past eight years, is now in Lethbridge where he is associated with Dr. Bigelow.

A meeting of the Hospital Board was held on Saturday to discuss the purchase of new appliances. Those formerly in use were the property of Dr. H. C. Dimock, who has removed them to Lethbridge for his work there.

Rally Day was observed in the United Church on Sunday morning with the children taking part in the service. Rev. R. Taylor based his address on the Bible from the early days to the present time. Four girls, Eileen Dayman, Dorothy Cook, Emily Nugent and Mary Wilson, each gave a short account of the Bible. Gladys Leonard sang a solo and a violin selection was played by Mr. L. Robertson.

## THE WORLD OF WHEAT

By H. G. L. Strange

Sometime ago our Research Department compiled and published a chart showing 538 years of wheat prices.

The chart revealed a number of severe rises and falls in price throughout the years. We found that these great fluctuations always coincided exactly with great wars. We therefore set about studying all the wars that had occurred for the same period, i. e. the last 538 years; and we found some amazing things—

That the world during 538 years has only been at complete peace for 51 years. That France has been at war during the period, 300 years; Russia 201 years; Austria 238 years; Great Britain 232 years; Spain 213 years; Turkey 192 years; Germany 187 years; Italy 117 years; Holland 106 years; Portugal 40 years; and the United States 27 years. The most peaceful country having been China.

Most of the wars were fought we found, to obtain possession of lands that produce wheat, foodstuffs, or other raw materials. Then, later, other countries would arise and attempt to take those lands for themselves from those who had previously conquered them; and so it seems to have gone on and on through the ages.

One invariable result of war has ever been, first very high, and then very low wheat prices.

Following factors have tended to raise price: Apparent European political crisis—rain



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## LABOR M. P. DOUBTS PREMIER'S CLAIMS

Manchester, England.

A role D. Nicolson, National Labor member of parliament, criticized Prime Minister Chamberlain at a Manchester luncheon Saturday for what he called the "surrender" at Munich and the "betrayal" of Czechoslovakia.

"We have betrayed a valiant little country and a great democratic ideal," he said.

"There are many people who feel in so doing that we achieve peace for a generation. They are wholly mistaken. We have not achieved peace for a generation. We have achieved it only for six months."

The National Labor member declared that the Prime Minister "was offered one of the greatest opportunities that ever befell the lot of any British statesman."

"He missed that opportunity," Mr. Nicolson said. "Had he taken a firm line at Munich he would have established perhaps for ever the superiority of the Democratic faith over Fascist conceptions."

Declaring naval mobilization threatened to break the Rome Berlin axis, Mr. Nicolson said "it was at this moment, had the Prime Minister realized it, that we held all the cards in our hands. Had the Prime Minister exploited his advantage he would have obtained peace with honor. He did not, however, understand the psychology of Germany as a Italy, and surrendered to them at the very moment when surrender was least necessary."

needed in northern Argentina. European nations desire best spring wheat to strengthen mixtures—India reluctant to sell wheat—Poland distilling rye—Norway buys Canadian rye—Belgium buys substantial quantities U. S. A. wheat—France buys North African Durums.

Following factors have tended to lower price: Possibilities of peaceful European settlement—Liverpool wheat stocks double a year ago—Swedish wheat crop larger than 1937 Abundant supplies of bread grain in Germany—War risk insurance charges to Germany suspended. All other rates at least doubled—Ukraine and southern Russia receive beneficial rains.

## Women's Institute HANDICRAFT EXHIBIT

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## BIG CROPS REAPED ON CRESTON FARMS

Creston's 1938 wheat harvest was completed last week.

Due to levees collapsing in two big areas, this year's crop is confined to about 1500 acres in what is known as the Bruner-Poole area on Nick's Island, where final combine returns indicate an average yield of over twenty bushels per acre.

On the Poole tract great success was had with Thatcher rust resistant wheat, which in more favored spots went as high as 50 bushels to the acre and graded No. 1 northern.

The entire crop of this variety has been sold for seed at one dollar per bushel, according to reliable reports, and not enough of it to supply the demand.

Combining has also been completed on the one dyked tract at Creston that survived the high water this year. It has 1400 acres in crop and is averaging 25 bushels to the acre, much of which is grading No. 1 northern. Some Howard spring wheat went sixty-seven pounds to the bushel and was top grade. This is part of 2200 acre tract on Nick's Island, operated by Poole Construction Co. Ltd. and Bruner & Adams.

On the 15,000 acres flooded in June, cultivation is in full swing and much winter wheat will be planted.

## O. L. TAYLOR IN SERIOUS ACCIDENT AT CROSSING

A serious accident occurred Wednesday evening, at 7:40, when Mr. O. L. Taylor of Carmangay was a strack by the northbound passenger at the railway crossing in Carmangay and badly injured. Mr. Taylor was apparently driving down town for his mail thinking the train was in as it was past train time. It was raining at the time and visibility was practically nil. The impact threw Mr. Taylor out on one side the track while the car was thrown to the other side. Up to the time of going to press, Mr. Taylor has not regained consciousness and grave fears are held for his recovery.

Mrs. Taylor is visiting at the coast and has been notified of the accident and his son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bond of Gleichen, are at his bedside.

## CHAMPION GROCETERIA

"Security" mixed fruit jam, 4 pound tins, each 45c  
Riso, 1 large pkg. & 1 small pkg with coupon 25c  
Royal Shield, Thompson Seedless Raisins, 2lbs 55c  
Broder's Best Pumpkin, size 2 1-2, tins each 15c  
Reidell's Sweet Clover Honey, 1lb. cartons ea. 15c  
McIntosh apples, per case \$1.60  
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Greater progress, higher standards of living, better ways of life, are possible to an informed people. It is your privilege to be informed fully on all matters of importance through a free press. Make full use of this freedom, denied in so many other countries. Be informed. Keep a voice in your own government.

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